

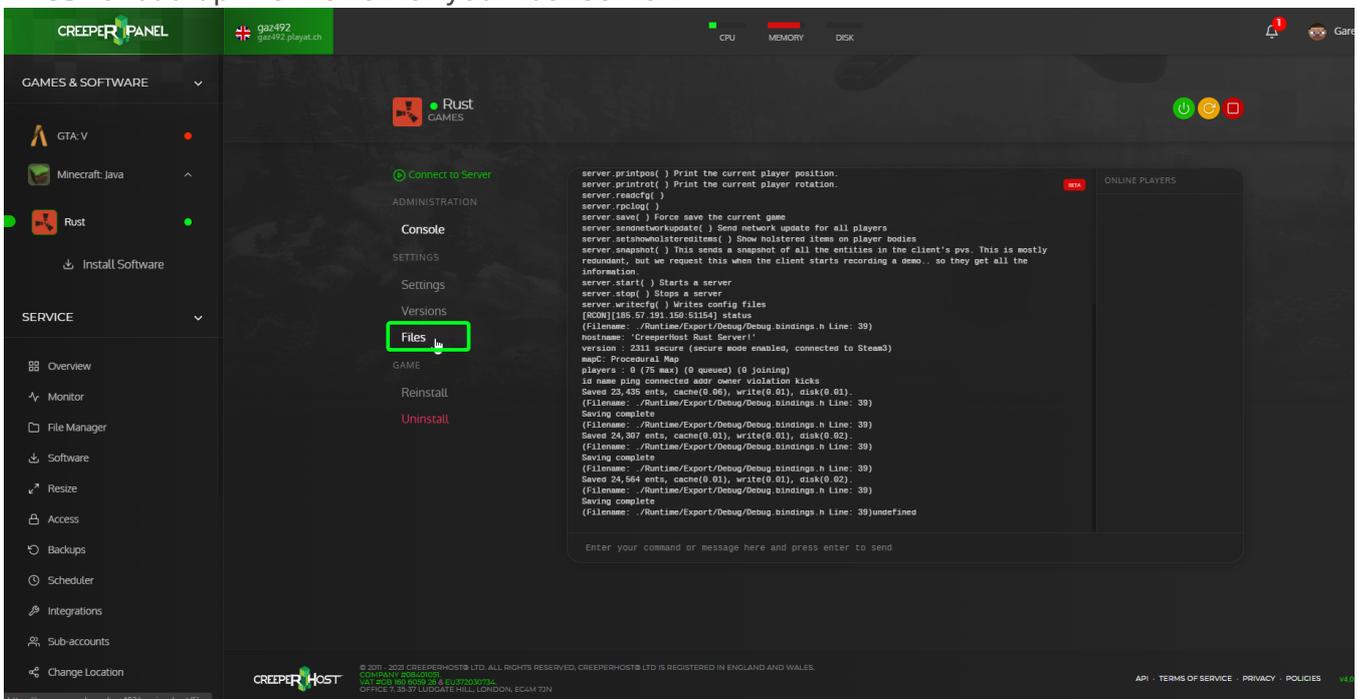
Setting a server description, URL, header image and rcon password

Setting the server description, URL and header image can help advertise your server to other players, giving them an idea of the type of server you are hosting.

The server description and URL can be set on the settings page after selecting Rust from the sidebar however to set the header image for your server you will need to manually edit the server config.

Before proceeding please make sure to stop your server if its running by clicking on the red stop button in the top right of the console page.

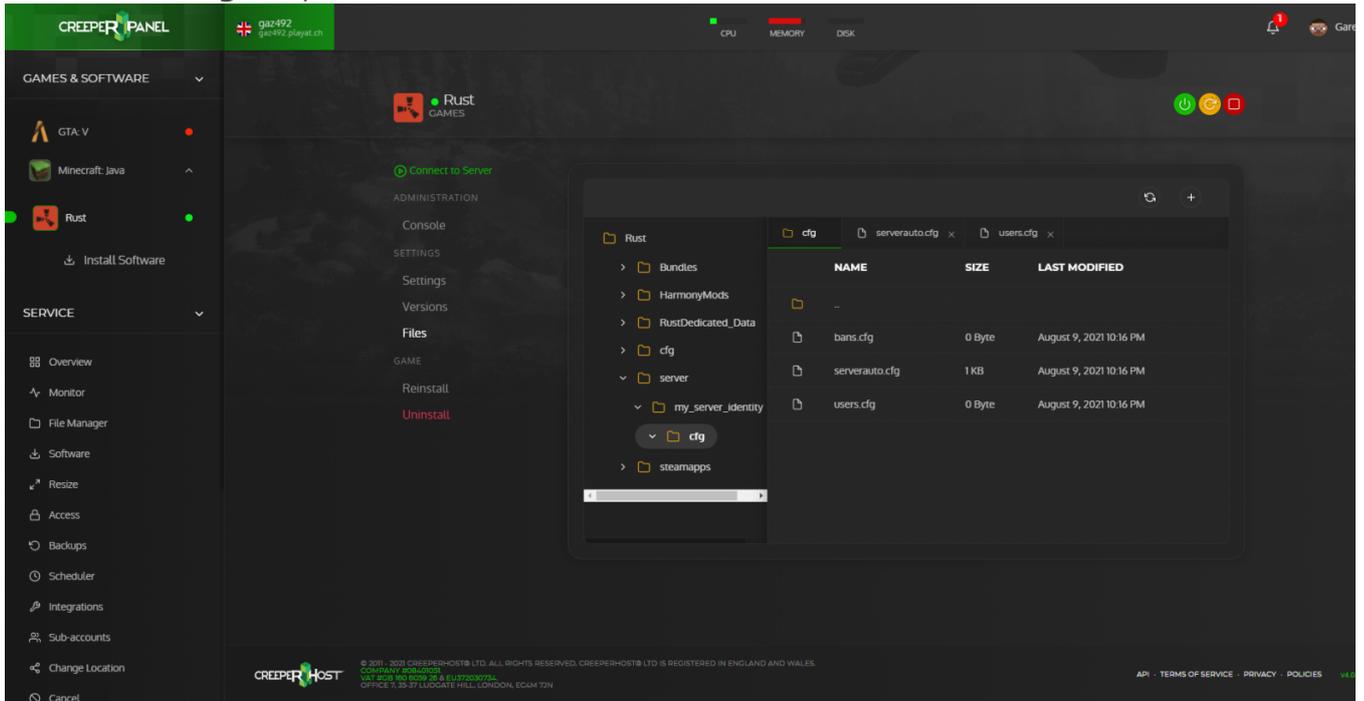
1. Click on Rust in the sidebar to load the console up, then once on the console page click on **Files** to load up the file list for your rust server.



The screenshot shows the Creeper Panel interface for a Rust server. The left sidebar contains navigation options like 'GAMES & SOFTWARE', 'SERVICE', and 'Monitor'. The main area is divided into 'ADMINISTRATION', 'Console', 'SETTINGS', and 'GAME'. The 'Files' option under 'SETTINGS' is highlighted with a red box. The console window displays server logs, including commands like 'server.printpos()', 'server.printrot()', 'server.rpclog()', 'server.save()', 'server.snapshotupdate()', 'server.setshowholstereditems()', 'server.snapshot()', 'server.start()', 'server.stop()', 'server.writecfg()', and 'server.writecfg()'. The console also shows server status information such as 'version: 2311 secure (secure mode enables, connected to Steam3)', 'map: Procedural Map', and 'players: 0 (75 max) (0 queued) (0 joining)'. The bottom of the interface includes the Creeper Host logo, copyright information, and a footer with 'API - TERMS OF SERVICE - PRIVACY - POLICIES'.

Once on the files page double click on the following folders: **server > my_server_identity > cfg**

You should now see 3 files (bans.cfg, serverauto.cfg and users.cfg) double click on the **serverauto.cfg** to open it.



The files will now open for you and it should already contain some default settings (if it doesn't do not worry).

If the file already has some default settings within it search though the file to see if there is one for server.headerimage

If the file is empty or you do not see server.headerimage anywhere in the file go to the bottom of the file and press enter to add a new line then type `server.headerimage ""` now between the "" enter the URL to the image you wish to use as the header image.

We recommend using a header image that is 1024x512 as this will not be stretched or appear blurry/pixelated

2. Click save then you can start your server up again.

Rcon Password

You will need to set a rcon password via the settings page or your server will not start up

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